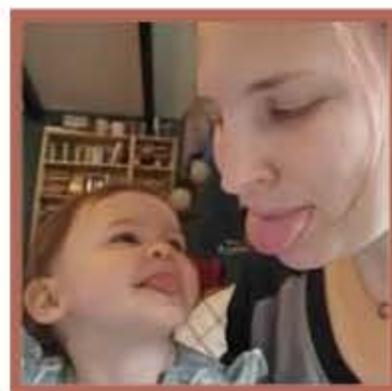
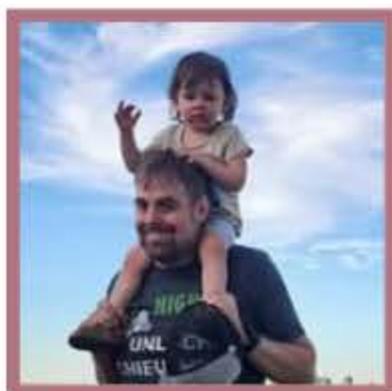




little
MOMENTS
BIG
memories



♥
fAMILY

Andrew & Bailey



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Andrew, Verity, and
Bailey



Andrew and Verity at the zoo.

Andrew

- works in IT System Administration
- Loves science
- Favorite food is Italian
- Favorite movie is Emperor's New Groove
- Favorite color is green

Bailey

- Second grade teacher
- Loves stories and reading
- Favorite food is seafood
- Favorite movie is White Christmas
- Favorite color is turquoise



Bailey and Verity being silly.

Why do we want to adopt?

We have always been very involved with our families growing up and have continued to be involved as adults. We know the value and importance of family and feel that it is time that we expand ours. We have always wanted to adopt over having biological children and adopted our first child in 2022.

With Bailey's family (siblings and three out of four cousins on her mother's side) being composed entirely of adopted family members, we understand and appreciate that adopted family members are no less family or viewed differently than biological family.

For Andrew growing up, his parents were always very involved with him and his siblings. Andrew is very involved with our first child and can't wait to be there for our next child in everything they do.



To us, family is important no matter where you come from.



It is important for our child to learn...

-to try new things

-patience

-kindness

-to respect all living things



-to take care of yourself

-to see the world

-teamwork

-and to have fun



A typical week for us...

Sunday

- cook breakfast together
- laundry day
- grocery shopping

Monday - Friday

- Andrew works in IT Administration Systems
- Bailey works as a teacher

Friday

- board games in the evening

Saturday

- visit family



Andrew's Monday-Friday



Bailey's Monday - Friday

Hobbies

Andrew's hobbies

- playing games
- putting models together
- biking
- rock climbing

Bailey's hobbies

- ice skating
- hiking
- crafting
- writing





Bailey and Andrew in front of their house the day they moved in.



OUR HOUSE

- our first house
- full of warmth and love
- plenty of food
- places to play





Andrew's Family



Bailey's Family

Our families love our child
and can't wait for more.

Our family is not
just made up of
people.



Dogs (Barry
and Josie)

Cats (Gizmo and LBK)





Andrew's extended family.

*Bailey's family is also big, we just couldn't find a picture.



Our support system is full of family, friends, and coworkers!





Our promise to you...

- to love our children no matter what
- to always be there for them
- to support them
- to hug and kiss them
- to keep them dressed nice
- to keep their bellies full
- to read to them each night
- to get them a good education
- to teach kindness and love
- and to take them on trips to show them the world.

